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Loyola/Sir George Union model draws mixed reactions

More than 20 submissions recommending changes to the proposed model for the new university resulting from the union of Loyola and Sir George have been received by Mr. R. Duder, secretary of the Loyola Board of Trustees.

The 11 page document "A Model for the New University", drawn up by the joint Loyola/Sir George negotiating committee was released to the two campuses by their respective Boards on September 21 with an invitation to forward submissions for changes.

Major submissions have been concerned with the sections of the document outlining the futures of Loyola's Faculty of Science and Faculty of Commerce. Some submissions have also taken issue with other specific points in the document.

The recommendations are being studied by Loyola's Domestic Committee and members of the Board of Trustees.

VIEWPOINTS

Alumni Association

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association to consider the model, the following motion was carried.

"The Association subscribes in general to the document titled "A Model for the New University" but views with concern the distress for the future expressed by the Loyola Faculties of Science and Commerce. The Association therefore recommends that the Board of Trustees of Loyola College take these fundamental fears into account in reviewing the aforesaid document."

**L.S.A. — from
position statement**

"We regard the present "Model for

the New University' as the only realistic solution . . .

"The document certainly does not meet all the needs and aspirations of the total Loyola community, but few negotiated settlements ever satisfy either of the two parties involved . . .

"It was the students who took to the streets and airwaves in defence of this institution during the July crisis. We have earned the right to express our opinion on this crucial issue.

"The Association feels that the Science Faculty should be given some respite in the phasing-out of their honours programme. A three-year transition period would not represent an unreasonable time table in which to phase out honours, and create new innovative major programmes.

"On the whole we think it is high time we began looking optimistically towards creating the working machinery of the new university. Loyola has the creativity, imagination and the personnel to shape the destiny of our new institution, but does it have the determination and vision? The time has come to be less preoccupied with what 'used to be', and begin giving

serious consideration to what 'could be'."

Faculty Association

At two open meetings devoted to discussion of the proposed union terms the Faculty Association voted to endorse the draft document, but at the same time urged the Board of Trustees to incorporate four guarantees in the final model.

1. Retention of an Honours Science program at Loyola

2. A more equitable representation for the Loyola Commerce Faculty in the new university's Faculty of Commerce and Administration, in order to better insure the particular character of the Loyola Commerce program.

3. A rewriting of the paragraph concerning the new University's Committee of Graduate Studies in order to make it clear that it is not merely an extension of the present Sir George committee.

4. The guarantee of acquired faculty rights at both institutions until the new university makes arrangements acceptable to the Faculty Associations at both Loyola and Sir George campuses.

Loyola enrolment soars

Loyola's fall registration has leapt ahead again this year with record enrolments in both Day and Evening Divisions.

The Day Division with 4,607 students enrolled, is up 14.5 percent over last year's total of 4,025. The Evening Division has a nine percent increase with approximately 5,100 students compared to 4,758 for 1971/72.

The Day Division first year University level, with 1,003 students, shows

an 8.5 per cent increase over last year. CEGEP, which this year has 2,667 students, is up 34 per cent.

Of the Day students 2,491 are registered in the Faculty of Arts. Last year 2,305 students registered in the Faculty. Commerce accounts for 1,049 students, up 325 from last year. The Faculty of Science has 925 students compared to 862 last year and the Faculty of Engineering 132 (134 in 1971/62).

Top Canadian poets to read at Loyola

Irving Layton, Margaret Atwood, Alfred Purdy and B. P. Nichol are some of the nationally-known Canadian poets who will be presenting their works at Loyola this year in a series of on-campus readings financed by the Canada Council.

Layton will begin the series, which runs through March, with an October 20th visit. One of the best and most controversial poets Canada has produced, he is currently Professor of English at York University, Toronto.

He has published many volumes of poetry including *Here and Now* (1945), *The Improved Binoculars* (1956), *Balls for a One-Armed Juggler* (1963), *The Whole Bloody Birth* (1969), and *A Red Carpet for The Sun* (1959), for which he received a Governor General's Award. Until his appointment to York University Layton lived most of his life in Montreal.

Margaret Atwood, probably the best female poet in Canada today, and certainly among the first five Canadian poets, will be guest reader on November 9th. Margaret Atwood is Poet-in-Residence at the University of Toronto. She is only 33 years old, but has already published five books of poetry and two novels. Her first

book, *The Circle Game* (1966), won the Governor General's Prize. Some of her other books are: *The Animals in That Country* (1968), *Procedures for Underground* (1970), and *Power Politics* (1971). Her first novel, *The Edible Woman* (1969), is being made into a film.

On November 16th, Fred Cogswell will read his works. He is a poet, publisher, professor and literary critic from New Brunswick. Among his numerous books of poetry are: *The Stunted Strong* (1954), *Descent From Eden* (1959), *In Praise of Chastity* (1970), and *The Chains of Liliput* (1971).

Alfred Purdy, another of Canada's best poets, is scheduled for November 30th. Purdy has published a number of major collections, including *Poems for All the Annettes* (1962, 1968), *The Cariboo Horses* (1965), for which he received the Governor General's Award, *Wild Grape Wine* (1968), and *Love in a Burning Building* (1970). He lives in Ameliasburg, Ontario.

The new year will see a visit from Miriam Waddington on January 18th, John Newlove, February 15, Dorothy Livesay, March 8, and B. P. Nichol and the Four Horsemen in mid-March.

LETTER

Mr. W. E. Pelton
President
Loyola of Montreal Alumni
Association Inc.

Dear Bill:

I am informed that the Association's annual oyster party will this year revert to an all-male format. You know my feelings on the subject but I wanted merely to record my strong objections and ask that you convey this to the Board of Directors.

It is difficult to understand how the Association came to the decision that it did on the oyster party. Last Spring more female than male students graduated from Loyola. The number of female graduates probably exceeded the total student population at Loyola when, to take a random example, the class of '57 graduated.

I guess some people still think Loyola is a gentlemen's finishing school.

Yours truly,

Robert Leclerc

Fall Convocation creates record

Loyola's Fall Convocation this year will be on Sunday, October 29. More than 200 students are expected to graduate, making it the largest fall convocation in the college's 76 year history.

Guest speaker will be Paul Gallagher, head of Dawson College, and a member of Loyola's Board of Trustees, and the Joint Negotiating Committee handling the proposed union of Loyola and Sir George.

As in the past, the fall convocation will be held in the F. C. Smith Auditorium.

On the road to success

Fall 1972 is proving to be quite an eventful season for Loyola Communication Arts Professor, Dr. John Buell. At the end of September his latest book was released here and in the U.S. and on the 31st of this month the last shots will be taken for the film based on his first novel, *The Pyx*.

The latter has already caused considerable interest here in Montreal, where it is being filmed on location. Starring Karen Black and Christopher Plummer, it is produced by Maxime Samuels, a highly respected Toronto producer, and directed by Harvey Hart, who is also from Toronto, and who has several Hollywood films and TV series to his credit. Tentative release date is next Easter.

Dr. Buell's new book, *The Shrews-dale Exit*, (Doubleday, 288 pages) is his third. It has, on the whole, been greeted favourably by critics. Robert Fulford wrote in the *Toronto Star*: "John Buell . . . brings to his action novels some of the qualities which heighten the literary value of writers like Greene and Simeon."

In the *New York Times Book Review* the novel was described as "a pleasure to read," and Leo Simpson, in the *Toronto Globe and Mail*, said that Buell, "has the seed of a major talent in him."

The book tells the story of Joe Grant a youngish engineer whose wife and young daughter are raped and murdered by three motorcycle hoods who forced the family's station wagon off the road as they set out on a camping holiday. They knocked Grant unconscious and left him for dead.

The police discover who the gang trio are, but do not have sufficient evidence to lay charges. Grant decides to take the law into his own hands, buys a gun, teaches himself how to use it, then goes after them. There is no big climax; Grant winds through a series of situations and the novel ends with a question mark.

Like Buell's two earlier books (the second was *Four Days*) *The Shrews-dale Exit* is ideal movie material and Buell reports "lively interest" for film rights. Discussions on paperback publication have also taken place and the book has been chosen by the Book of the Month Club as an Alternate.

Hall of Famers honoured at Luncheon '72

More than 100 alumni, alumnae, parents, friends and associates gathered together for Luncheon '72 on Saturday, Oct. 7 to pay homage to George Pigeon '29, Andy O'Brien '31, Keith English '50 and Dave Pemberton-Smith '56, the latest inductees to the Loyola Hall of Fame.

George Pigeon brought great glory to Loyola during and after his student days. He starred for, and captained, the famous 1928 team of Loyolans to the Dominion Intercollegiate Championship. After graduation he lined-up with the fabulous Winged Wheelers of the thirties. He was there when they won the Grey Cup in 1933 and he remained in big time football for eleven years. A three time All-Star, he is a credit to Loyola and Montreal.

Andy O'Brien the AWOB of the old Montreal Standard and now Sports Editor of Weekend Magazine, has received the Canadian Amateur Sports Federation Award for "outstanding contribution in the newspaper field towards the encouragement of participation in amateur sports in Canada." Andy competed in many sports at Loyola, but had his troubles as a heavy-weight boxer with Father John McCarthy, S.J. who broke Andy's nose in one of their ring encounters.

In the late forties the Montreal Alouettes decided to go along with four Canadian Ends — the Eager Beavers of the day — Johnny Taylor,



New Hall of Famers (left to right, holding portraits) George Pigeon, Andy O'Brien, Keith English and Dave Pemberton-Smith, with their families and Father Malone.

Ralph Toohey, Glenn Douglas and Hall-of-Famer Keith English. After a brilliant football and hockey career at Loyola, Keith was named rookie-of-the-year in the Big Four (now the Eastern Conference of the C.F.L.). Keith and his brothers Bruce and Herb (also a Hall-of-Famer) are three of the most gifted athletes Loyola has seen on both the grid-iron and the ice surface.

The fourth member to be selected this year is Dave Pemberton-Smith. Dave's prowess on the squash courts and golf links is well known internationally. It might be noted that Dave is also a member of the Hall-of-Fame of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association.

The party and induction ceremonies, chaired by Dr. Jack McMullan, were enjoyed by the guests in

Hingston Hall and the day was judged a success.

Among the Hall-of-Famers attending the luncheon were Dinny Dinsmore, National Hockey League Star of the twenties and colorful coach of the Loyola College hockey teams of the thirties and early forties; Frank Shaughnessy Jr. '32, Canadian Olympic official; Dr. Bob Brodrick '43, physician of the Montreal Expos; Bernie McCallum '43, Director of Alumni Affairs; Ed Meagher '46, celebrating his twenty-fifth year at Loyola; Herb English '53, Keith's brother and former Memorial Cup star with the Canadiens; and of course Dr. Jack McMullan '53, Chairman of the Hall-of-Fame.

The Alumni Board was represented by Bill Pelton '48, Ron Boucher '53, Dan Sullivan '56, Al Luffy '64, and Brian Gallery '57.

The Class of '29 were there cheering on their favorite athlete — George Pigeon. The '29 delegation included Rev. Lionel Stanford, S.J., Rev. Michael Healy P.P., Ed LaPierre, Herb Gloutney, Doug Gloutney, Gorman Kennedy, Jack Hart, and Ed Scully.

Head table guests were Very Rev. P. G. Malone, S.J., Rev. E. Sherry S.J., '36, Bill Pelton '48, and Ted Tilden, a Director of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association.

While the affair was primarily athletic, the Loyola-Sir George union was also a popular topic of discussion. Many varied opinions were expressed. Another topic was Russia, Team Canada, and Canadians in Russia. Brian Gallery '57 has agreed to write an article for the next "Alumnus" on his Russian escapades. Should be interesting . . .



At the Luncheon: Jack Hart, Ed LaPierre, Herb Gloutney, Rev. Lionel Stanford, S.J., Ed Scully, Doug Cloutney and Gorman Kennedy of the Class of '29.

Alumnews

'64

Robert Lewis has been appointed Bureau Chief of Time magazine's Toronto Office. His first assignment was covering the Canada/Russia hockey series.

'33

Rev. Lester Carroll, S.J. was recently appointed Minister at the Loyola Jesuit Residence.

'29

On September 23rd, the Class of '29 has their Forty-third Anniversary Reunion and it was a resounding success. Father Gerald Britt, Doug Gloutney, Herb Gloutney, Amaury Gomez, Jack Hart, Father Michael Healy, Gorman Kennedy, Edward LaPierre, Jim Mulally, Edwin (Spud) Murphy, Pat Nolan, Bill O'Donnell, George Pigeon, Harold Quinn, Ed Scully, Ed Seeney, Father Lionel Stanford, S.J., and Jim Walsh attended.

Amaury Gomez has retired from the foreign service of the Royal Bank of Canada. He is still living in New York.

Jack (Chummy) Whitelaw has retired from the position of Executive Vice-President and General Manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

BIRTHS

'60

O'Reilly, to Michele (nee Gendron) and James, a daughter Julie, sister to Mark, on October 6th.

'53

Allmand, Warren and Pat (nee Burns) are happy to announce the birth of a daughter at Catherine Booth Hospital on October 8. Sister to Patrick and Julianne.

MARRIAGE

'69

The marriage of **Maureen Grace Elliot** to Garth J. Ryan of Kirkland Lake, Ont., took place recently at St. Edmond of Canterbury, Beaconsfield.

DEATHS

Jacques Baudouin '39, passed away recently. Beloved husband of Mrs. Jacques Baudouin, father of four children.

Robert Emmett Dolan '29, died suddenly in California last month. Mr. Dolan was a well-known conductor and musical director in the film industry and on Broadway. Served as musical director in 53 film musical comedies and 27 theatrical productions. He is survived by sons Casey of Los Angeles and Robert Jr. of San Francisco.

R. Florian Laberge passed away on September 25. Dearly beloved husband of Sarah Wickham, dear father of **Pierre '55** of Boston, Massachusetts, **Paul '47**, and Ann (Mrs. Michael Donnelly). Dear brother of Imperia (Mrs. Henri Lapointe). Also survived by eight grandchildren.

Leo P. Leclerc died suddenly on September 26, at his residence. Beloved husband of Violet Leigh, dear father of **Robert '65** and **Nancy '70**. Brother of Roland, Gerald, Stella (Mrs. C. Snyder), Donald and Nelson.

Paul Arthur Lefebvre, at the Jewish General Hospital on September 30. Former Financial Aid Officer, Development Department at Loyola College. Beloved husband of Helen Runions.

Arthur F. Mayne passed away on September 17, 1972. Was awarded the Loyola Medal in 1969 for his years of educational service for the College. Mr. Mayne joined the Royal Bank in Drayton, Ontario in 1925 and served in various posts across Canada. He held the position of Executive Vice-President on his retirement from the Royal Bank in 1969. Beloved husband of Helen Mary Dunnigan, father of **Patrick James '68** of Toronto and brother of John C. of Calgary.

SECRET VICES

Do you paint, draw, whittle, sculpt, or photograph? Here's a chance to let it all hang up! Your exhibits are invited for an Alumni Art Show, scheduled for late autumn. Please contact:

LINDA SHESHKO
at 453-7024 or 453-1900
as soon as possible

Alumni Events

OCTOBER 21, 1972 (SATURDAY)
At 8:00 P.M.
ALUMNI-COLLEGE HOCKEY GAME
in the Athletic Complex
at 10:30 P.M.
Reception
In Hingston Hall
Cash Bar

NOVEMBER 4, 1972 (SATURDAY)
At 8:00 P.M.
ALUMNI-COLLEGE
BASKETBALL GAME
In the Athletic Complex
At 10:00 P.M.
Reception
In Hingston Hall
Cash Bar

ALUMNI OYSTER PARTY
In Hingston Hall
Friday, November 10, 1972
8:00 P.M.
Price: \$6.00
Stag Event
Loyola Community Invited
Mixed Drinks \$1.00 Beer \$0.50

Loyola Events

Friday October 20
Poetry Reading: Irving Layton
Time: 8 p.m.
Room B206. Admission Free

Wednesday, October 25
Loyola Film Series presents: **Applause** (1929) and **Sweet Charity** (1969).
Time: 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.
F. C. Smith Auditorium. \$1.00

Wednesday, November 1
Loyola Film Series presents: **Love Parade** (1929) and **Monte Carlo** (1930). F. C. Smith, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m.
\$1.00.

Wednesday, November 8
Loyola Film Series presents: **A Hard Day's Night** (1964) and **Band Wagon** (1953). F. C. Smith, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m.
\$1.00.

Thursday, November 9
Poetry Reading: Margaret Atwood
Time: 8 p.m.
Place: Vanier Auditorium. Admission Free.

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